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For: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR SELF-DIAGNOSING ELECTRONIC PRICE

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Amendment

Sir:

Please amend the above identified application as follows:

In the specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 3, line 16, with the following rewritten paragraph:

--Fig. 1 illustrates a retail price display system 100 including a plurality of self-diagnosing electronic price labels, shown here in groups 102A-102D, according to the present invention. The system 100 includes a central processor 104 having access to a storage system 106, which is preferably a fixed disk drive. The storage system 106 maintains one or more

